

## Keep Those Little Soldiers Healthy and Strong

—Those little soldiers in your blood, known to scientists as white corpuscles, whose important duty is to defend you against disease germs that attack the red corpuscles and the bodily tissues.

You are helpless unless they are in condition to fight for you. This fact is fully established.

Nothing is more important than to make and keep them healthy and strong, especially when there is exposure to such diseases as the grip, typhoid fever, spotted fever, smallpox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, cholera, malaria, tuberculosis or consumption;—and when there is not more or less exposure to such diseases?

How shall you know whether they are healthy and strong?—By your looks and feelings. Eruptions, scrofula, eczema, catarrh, rheumatism, anemia, languor, that tired feeling, loss of

appetite, nervousness, general debility, are all indications that the little soldiers in your blood are not in condition to fight for you.

They are just as surely indications that you should begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla at once—the medicine whose great distinction is that it makes and keeps the blood of the right quality and quantity. And you should take it faithfully, according to the directions.

"By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla my blood has been purified, my strength has been built up, and with the general improvement in health, my nerves are steady and under good control. I would not be placed back where I was before I began taking this medicine for \$500." ARTHUR F. WILSON, 1 Perkins St., Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects its wonderful cures, not simply because it contains sarsaparilla, but because it combines the utmost remedial values of more than 20 different ingredients, each greatly strengthened and enriched by this peculiar combination. These ingredients are the very remedies that successful physicians prescribe for the same diseases and ailments. There is no real substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla. If urged to buy any preparation said to be "just as good," you may be sure it is inferior, costs less to make, and yields the dealer a larger profit.

Begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla today. Get it in the usual liquid form or in chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 Doses One Dollar.

### AMUSEMENT NOTES

"Rory of the Hills" at the Barre Opera House To-day.

"Sing, sweet Harp, oh sing to me  
Some song of ancient days,  
Whose sounds, in this sad memory  
Long buried dreams shall raise."  
Like a breath from the green hills and  
valley of the Emerald Isle, is the work  
of Bernard Daly in "Rory of the Hills."  
The innocence and high Celtic tempera-  
ment of the man, his merry quip and  
dashing camaraderie, mingled in the next  
minute with the romantic sadness or  
ever ready championship of the helpless,  
and his supreme nobility of character  
which must ever combat all that is mean  
and despicable, carried his audience with  
him in a heart-throbbing interest that never  
flags from the rise of the initial cur-  
tain until it has descended upon the last  
scene. The moments when Daly's phe-  
nomenally high and bell-like tenor voice  
rises in the notes of some dear old Irish  
melody, are moments when the theatres  
in which he plays are hushed, to be  
followed at the close of the strains by  
instantaneous bursts of applause.

Daly is backed as another Scanlan and  
comes to the opera house this afternoon  
and evening in "Rory of the Hills," under  
the management of A. R. Beer.

### DISSOLVE PARTNERSHIP

Judge Butler Retires From Firm of  
Butler and Moloney.

Rutland, Feb. 27.—Because of the  
election of Judge Fred M. Butler to this  
city to the superior court bench he has  
withdrawn from the firm of Butler &  
Moloney and Thomas W. Moloney will  
conduct the law business in the future,  
retaining the same offices in the Mead  
building. Mr. Butler will keep an office  
with his former partner for some time  
as it will be necessary for him to com-  
plete some cases in which he had been  
engaged as counsel.

Fred M. Butler and Thomas W. Mo-  
loney have been associated in the law  
business in this city since August 1,  
1895. Judge Butler will sit in Addison  
county court in Middlebury beginning  
March 8, in place of Judge Z. S. Stan-  
ton.

### IRON BUSINESS IMPROVING.

Lincoln Iron Works Running a Night  
Shift to Get Out Rush Orders.

Rutland, Feb. 27.—The Lincoln Iron  
works of this city is at present running  
its plant both night and day in order  
to get out material for several rush or-  
ders. This is not due to any one large  
contract but to orders, which, coming  
in a bunch, indicate a revival of busi-  
ness.

John N. Woodfin, president of the  
concern, said yesterday afternoon that  
there was an improvement in business  
conditions and the night shift was de-  
cided upon in order to meet the demand  
for the firm's goods promptly. He hop-  
ed that conditions would soon warrant  
the employment of still more men.

### Nebraska Adopts Oregon Plan.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 27.—By a vote of  
20 to 13 the Senate Thursday passed the  
Humphrey bill, providing for the elec-  
tion of United States senators by the  
Oregon plan. The measure has already  
passed the House and Governor Shallen-  
berger will approve it.

### The Health of Your Horse.

The proper remedy for all horse strains,  
sprains or colic is Perry Davis' Painkiller.  
It is prompt and you'll save the horse suffer-  
ing—spare yourself trouble and expense—  
maybe save a long time waiting. You ought  
to have a bottle ready. The now sold bottle  
costs 35 cents; one larger, 50 cents. Be  
sure your druggist gives you Perry Davis'.

### Mutton Pies 5c

Besides Mutton we make various  
kinds of the most delicious pies you  
ever bought at a bake shop. One of  
our bakers is an expert in this  
line. Order some of our team, or  
at stores.

Queen Cakes, fit for a King,  
10c dozen.  
Our Saturday Beans best baked,  
12c quart.

Brown Bread to go with beans  
make a fine meal. 5c loaf.

### Boyce's Bakery,

Tel. 237-4 309 North Main St.

## WHIRLWIND FINISHERS

Spaulding Dazed the Italian  
Athletic Club

42 POINTS IN 20 MINUTES

The Local High School Won Last Night  
by the Score of 52 to 10—Averill  
Threw Nine Baskets and  
Grigg Eight.

With a lead of only three points at  
the end of the first half, the Spaulding  
high school basketball team let loose  
in the last half and defeated the Italian  
Athletic club, 52 to 10, at the Church  
street gymnasium last evening. The first  
half ended 7 to 4 in Spaulding's favor,  
but in the next twenty minutes the high  
school got down to business and scored  
42 points before time was up. Averill  
tossed in nine baskets from the floor  
for Spaulding and Grigg eight, while Mc-  
Donald got four to his credit and Cum-  
mings three.

Only four fouls were called on either  
side and of these Averill threw two and  
the Italians failed to make any of them  
count. For the Italians H. Calagni and  
Soldini did the best work, each getting  
two baskets. The attendance was the  
highest there has been at any game this  
winter at the gymnasium, numbering  
scarcely fifty. The summary:

Spaulding.	Italian A. C.
Cummings, r. f. .... 1 g. Soldini	Grigg, l. f. .... 8 g. Calagni
Grigg, l. f. .... 8 g. Calagni	Calagni, c. .... 2 g. Soldini
Calagni, c. .... 2 g. Soldini	Averill, r. g. .... 9 g. David
Averill, r. g. .... 9 g. David	McDonald, l. g. .... 4 g. H. Calagni

Baskets from the floor, Averill 9, Grigg  
8, Cummings 4, McDonald 4, Soldini 2,  
H. Calagni 2; Nicora; baskets from  
fouls, Averill 2; referee, Mercer; time,  
two 20-minute halves.

### CALUMET WINS.

Michigan Copper Fights Settled and  
Suits Withdrawn.

Boston, Feb. 27.—It was announced  
today that the long controversy be-  
tween the Calumet and Hecla mining  
company and the leading officials of the  
Oscoda, Tamarack, Ahmeek, Seneca,  
Isle Royal and Laurium properties in  
Michigan, headed by A. S. Bigelow of  
this city, has been settled, and that a  
majority of the stock in the smaller  
companies has been acquired by the Cal-  
umet interests.

It is said that 125,000 shares were  
transferred and that \$5,000,000 was in-  
volved in the transaction. The settle-  
ment makes the Calumet and Hecla the  
dominating company in northern Michi-  
gan. It was also stated that all litigation  
in the state and United States courts  
in Michigan had been withdrawn  
including that over the ownership of  
2,671 shares of Oscoda stock, and that  
the annual meeting of that company  
which has been many times postponed  
by injunction, will be held on March 4  
next, when the Calumet officials will  
assume the management.

Why Not Try  
POPHAM'S  
ASTHMA REMEDY?  
Gives prompt and positive relief in every  
case. Sold by druggists. Price \$2.00. Total  
package by mail 10 cents. Williams' Med-  
Co., Prop., Cleveland, Ohio.  
Sold by C. H. Kendrick & Co., Barre, Vt.

Early to bed and early we  
rise.  
We mind our business—they  
say it pays to advertise.

Economy is measured by satis-  
faction.  
Mother's Bread gives satis-  
faction—hence economy.

At all grocers 10c loaf.



—WE HAVE—  
Schrafft's Chocolates  
Daintiest of Dainty Sweets  
In 35 cent and 65 cent Packages.

—A FULL LINE OF—  
"Crystal Chocolates"  
Fine Goods, at 40 cents Per Pound.

And the best Assorted Chocolates  
at 25c per pound to be  
found in the City.

D. F. DAVIS "The Druggist"  
263 North Main St., Barre, Vt.

Syrup of Figs  
and Elixir of Senna  
acts gently yet prompt-  
ly on the bowels, cleanses  
the system effectually,  
assists one in overcoming  
habitual constipation  
permanently. To get its  
beneficial effects buy  
the genuine.

Manufactured by the  
**CALIFORNIA**  
**FIG SYRUP CO.**  
SOLD BY LEADING DRUGGISTS—50¢ PER BOTTLE

### DR. ELIOT WOULD DECLINE.

Couldn't Take Ambassadorship to Eng-  
land.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 27.—President  
Eliot of Harvard university, addressed  
both houses of the Texas legislature  
yesterday. Regarding a published re-  
port that he would likely be offered the  
ambassadorship to Great Britain, Mr.  
Eliot said he believed the report was  
without foundation. He said it would  
be impossible for him to accept the  
post should it be tendered him.

President Eliot was transferred a no-  
table reception here yesterday. All  
classes were suspended at the state uni-  
versity, and the whole faculty and stu-  
dent body and many state officials, in-  
cluding Governor Campbell, listened to  
his address delivered in the university  
auditorium.

### RATE WAR MORE SERIOUS.

Boston & Albany to Meet the Reduction  
Made by Boston & Maine.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Developments  
in the rate war between the Boston &  
Maine railroad and the eastern trunk  
lines have become serious. Several days  
ago the Boston & Maine filed a transfer  
with the interstate commerce commis-  
sion reducing by one cent per 100 pounds  
the freight tariff on import commodi-  
ties, bound to western points in this  
country. That tariff became effective  
on March 16. The tariff eliminates the  
differential that hitherto have existed  
between Boston and New York, Phila-  
delphia and Baltimore.

To meet this rate the Boston & Al-  
bany, one of the New York Central  
lines, has filed a tariff with the com-  
mission, taking effect on March 16.  
Thus far the other trunk lines have  
not met the rate, as they can do so only  
through arrangement among themselves.  
The war may have far-reaching conse-  
quences, as it is a contest for supremacy  
in the handling of import traffic among  
the most powerful of the eastern railway  
lines.

### HORSE THIEF KEPT RECORD.

Many New York Towns Visited By Man  
Under Arrest.

Elkton, Md., Feb. 27.—After more  
than two years and a half, the police  
say, the man who stole a team from W.  
H. Little, then an Elkton liverman, has  
been arrested, and is now in prison in  
Stamford, Conn. He gave his name as  
Albert Stiller. When he was taken into  
custody a memorandum dated from  
Sept. 2, 1905, to Feb. 3, 1909, was found  
which gives places and dates where he  
stole horses. Among the seventy-four  
entries of theft are included Walden,  
N. Y., 1905; Chatham, N. Y., May 3;  
Haverstraw, N. Y., Bayshore, Oct. 27;  
Warwick, Nov. 24; Kingston, N. Y.,  
Feb. 2, 1906; June 7; Hempstead, L. I.,  
July 3; Patchogue, L. I., Sept. 28.

### POTATOES FROM IRELAND.

Imports Due to Advance in Prices  
of Home Product.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—Real Irish potatoes  
are likely to find their way into the  
hands of Chicago housekeepers if prices con-  
tinue to advance. On Monday 15,000  
bags, or 45,000 bushels, of potatoes grown  
in Ulster, Ireland, were unloaded at Bal-  
timore, and a large part of the cargo  
shipped west.

Local commission men were not ad-  
vised of any consignments to this mar-  
ket, but said that undoubtedly importa-  
tions would be in order if larger supplies  
of domestic stock were not forthcom-  
ing.

### PORTO RICO ASSAULTS COURTS.

Legislature Petition Congress for Change  
in Law.

San Juan, P. R., Feb. 27.—A memorial  
praying the American Congress to amend  
the law limiting the jurisdiction of the  
United States court in Porto Rico passed  
the House of Delegates yesterday. It  
will be transmitted to Commissioner Lar-  
rington in Washington next week.

### BAD CIRCULATION

Causes Piles—External Treatment Won't  
Cure Them.

Free circulation of blood in the lower  
bowel will cure any case of piles. Piles  
may be due to constipation or any of a  
dozen other causes. Dr. Leonard's Hem-  
roid, the only internal, tablet remedy  
for piles, opens a free circulation in the  
bowel, and cures the cause.

24 days' treatment is sold for \$1 at Rick-  
et's & Wells', Barre, Vt., and is guaran-  
teed fully by Dr. Leonard & Co., Station  
B, Buffalo, N. Y. Write for booklet.

## A SHORTAGE OF \$19,500

Woodsville National Bank  
Cashier Under Arrest

BANK DEPOSITS ARE SAFE

Cashier H. W. Allen Lost Money in  
Speculation With the Usual Re-  
sults—Loss Will Not Cripple  
the Bank.

Woodsville, N. H., Feb. 27.—A shortage  
of \$19,500 in the accounts of H. W. Allen,  
cashier of the Woodsville National bank,  
has been discovered.

The bank is declared perfectly solvent  
and will continue to do business.

A joint examination of this bank was  
made by National Bank Examiner Nor-  
win S. Bean and the Woodsville Guar-  
anty Savings Bank, with the state bank  
commissioners, Richard M. Scammon of  
Stratham, Henry F. Green of Littleton,  
and Arthur E. Dole of this city. The  
examination was in progress for three  
days and at its close the shortage in the  
national bank was revealed.

The funds of the savings bank were  
found intact. Jerry Abbott is treasurer  
of the latter institution.

There will be absolutely no loss to the  
depositors, as the capital stock is \$50,000  
and there is a surplus of \$36,000. The  
cashier's bond is \$10,000.

Upon the discovery of the shortage  
Mr. Allen promptly tendered his resigna-  
tion. The resignation has been accepted  
by the directors and Jerry Abbott, treas-  
urer of the savings bank, has been made  
temporary cashier.

Mr. Bean has concluded his examina-  
tion, and so far as the bank is concerned,  
the matter is closed.

Mr. Allen was arraigned before the  
United States commissioner at Littleton  
on Wednesday evening, and was held  
in the sum of \$10,000, and bail was fur-  
nished.

At the close of the examination of the  
savings bank, the state commission sent  
the following statement to the bank  
officials:

### Statement of Commissioners.

Woodsville, N. H., Feb. 25, 1909.  
To the President and Trustees of the  
Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank:  
Gentlemen: An examination of the  
books and assets of the Woodsville Guar-  
anty Savings bank was made by the  
bank commissioners on Tuesday, Wed-  
nesday and Thursday, Feb. 23-25, 1909,  
and we hereby certify that we found the  
books and accounts in proper form and  
the assets belonging to the institution  
intact. This examination was made si-  
multaneously with the examination of  
the Woodsville National bank, by Nor-  
win S. Bean, the national bank examiner.

Richard M. Scammon,  
Arthur E. Dole,  
Henry F. Green,  
Bank Commissioners.

Unfortunate speculation is given as a  
cause of Mr. Allen's unfortunate situa-  
tion. He has turned over his property,  
which is said to be enough to cover  
the difference between his bond and the  
shortage. License Commissioner Henry  
W. Keyes is president of the national  
bank.

Mr. Allen has also resigned his posi-  
tion as one of the trustees of the savings  
bank.

Although the shortage was discovered  
early in the week by the bank examiner,  
and Allen was arrested and was taken  
before the United States commissioner  
at Littleton on Wednesday, the matter  
was kept so secret that nothing was  
known of the affair until yesterday, when  
the local newspaper published a very  
brief item.

It is understood that Cashier Allen  
has admitted the responsibility for the  
shortage, but has given no information  
regarding what became of the funds. It  
is said by those who were intimately ac-  
quainted with the cashier, that he was  
interested in several enterprises, the de-  
velopment of timber lands being among  
them.

### Cashier for Twelve Years.

Allen is about 40 years of age, is mar-  
ried and has two children. He has been  
cashier of the bank for about 12 years.

It is understood that the latest exami-  
nation of the bank's books was made at  
the request of some of the other officials  
of the bank, who were suspicious that  
all was not right.

According to the bank examiner, the  
alleged misappropriation of funds by  
Cashier Allen has been going on for some  
time, but was never discovered on pre-  
vious examinations owing to the fact  
that individual deposit accounts were so  
juggled as to make detection very diffi-  
cult to discover.

Allen was also treasurer of the town  
of Haverhill, of which Woodsville is a  
part. It is said that his own accounts  
are perfectly correct. His report for 1908  
was finished two weeks ago and a careful  
examination of it has failed to show any  
evidence of manipulation.

Allen belonged to one of the best  
known families in this section. He was  
socially prominent and although he was  
a regular attendant at the Congrega-  
tional church, he never was very prominent  
in church affairs.

### WHEAT AT NEW HIGH PRICES.

May Within 4 Cents of The Market  
Touched in Gates Campaign.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—New high record  
marks for the season were established  
yesterday in the wheat pit when the  
May delivery sold at 117 1/2¢ per bushel  
and the July at 70 1/2¢. This price for  
the May delivery is within a cent of  
the best mark reached during the mem-  
orable Gates campaign in 1905, when  
the price touched 118 1/2¢.



When you  
happen upon

a loaf of bread that  
tastes "like more," it's  
most certain that the  
flour is responsible.

It's safe to assume  
nine times in ten that  
the name of that  
Flour is

**Ceresota**

### GOVERNOR WILL TESTIFY.

Colonel Cooper Is Now on The  
Stand.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 27.—The state's  
attorney in the Carmack murder trial  
upon the integrity of one of the de-  
fendants, Colonel Cooper, in his conduct  
as clerk and master in chancery and as  
an associate of a defaulting state treas-  
urer, took the defense by surprise, but  
they soon had agents at work, and dur-  
ing the night several men from various  
points in the state arrived, men pre-  
sumed to be able to throw some light  
upon the charges.

The decision of the defense to put  
Governor Patterson and Adjutant Gen-  
eral Tully Brown on the witness stand  
caused the state's counsel to go over  
last night the stenographic report of  
the testimony, and every reference to  
Governor Patterson and General Brown  
was transcribed again for reference in  
cross-examination. At least two of  
counsel for the state are bitter political  
enemies of Patterson. The crowds  
which attended the trial yesterday  
were as large as ever. When court  
opened, Colonel Cooper resumed the  
stand.

### THROUGHS AT WHITE HOUSE TO BID ROOSEVELT GOOD-BY

The Last Important Cabinet Meeting Is  
Held Today.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The cabinet  
meeting yesterday was practically the  
last one of the Roosevelt adminis-  
tration for purposes of important busi-  
ness. Next Tuesday will be the last meet-  
ing, but that will be in the nature of a fare-  
well session.

As the time approaches for Roosevelt  
to leave office, the throng of visitors to  
the White House to bid good-by in-  
creases. Hundreds of callers visit the  
White House daily for this purpose.

### CONGRESSMAN INDICTED.

Laming of Ohio Accused with Another of  
Embezzling \$60,000.

Norwalk, O., Feb. 27.—Indictments  
against Congressman J. F. Laming and  
James G. Gibbs, formerly vice-president  
and president, respectively, of the de-  
funct Ohio Trust company, were returned  
Thursday. Two of the indictments jointly  
charged Gibbs and Laming with em-  
bezzling more than \$60,000 from the trust  
company, and four joint indictments  
charged that, by false pretenses, Gibbs,  
Laming and others obtained more than  
\$60,000 worth of property belonging to  
depositors of the bank.

Mr. Laming was indicted last April on  
charges growing out of the failure of the  
trust company, but was acquitted. Laming  
then resigned his nomination for a  
third term in Congress.

### MANITOBA'S PHONES.

Government Ownership Has Proved a  
Success.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 27.—A surplus  
of nearly a quarter of a million dollars  
and a substantial reduction in rates is  
the net result of the first year's opera-  
tion of the government telephone sys-  
tem. The announcement was made in  
the legislature yesterday and was greeted  
with long applause.

### CLEAN COWS' TEETH.

Health Officer Proposes New Sanitary  
Move.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 27.—Dr. C. C.  
Owens, member of the health board of  
Covington, Ky., has framed a resolution  
compelling all dairymen to clean the  
teeth of their cows every morning. He  
says that laws in France compel this  
work as a precaution against impure  
milk.

### Women's Secrets

There is one man in the United States who has perhaps heard  
more women's secrets than any other man or woman in the  
country. These secrets are not secrets of guilt or shame, but  
the secrets of suffering, and they have been confided to Dr.  
R. V. Pierce in the hope and expectation of advice and help.  
That few of these women have been disappointed in their ex-  
pectations is proved by the fact that ninety-eight per cent. of  
all women treated by Dr. Pierce have been absolutely and  
altogether cured. Such a record would be remarkable if the  
cases treated were numbered by hundreds only. But when  
that record applies to the treatment of more than half-a-mil-  
lion women, in a practice of over 40 years, it is phenomenal,  
and entitles Dr. Pierce to the gratitude accorded him by women, as the first  
specialist in the treatment of women's diseases.

Every sick woman may consult Dr. Pierce by letter, absolutely without  
charge. All replies are mailed, sealed in perfectly plain envelopes, without  
any printing or advertising whatever upon them. Write without fear as you  
write to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Pres.,  
Buffalo, N. Y.

### DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION

Makes Weak Women Strong.

Sick Women Well.

## LONG DAYS FOR CONGRESS

Sessions Extend Far Into the  
Night

DEMOCRATIC FILIBUSTER

In House Annoys Tawney—He and Wil-  
liams Have a Little Clash—More  
Talk Than for Any Day in a  
Quarter Century.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Both houses of  
Congress met at eleven o'clock yesterday  
an hour in advance of the usual time.  
There was a fair attendance when  
Speaker Cannon's gavel fell yesterday.  
The early hour was devoted to the mis-  
cellaneous calendar. In the Senate,  
however, a rollcall was necessary to in-  
sure a quorum. Fifty-two senators  
answered to their names. Senator  
Taliaferro of Florida then spoke in ad-  
vance of his bill prohibiting the adul-  
teration of naval stores. Notwith-  
standing both houses began business  
without reference to the appropriation  
bills, it was understood at the beginning  
of the session that the Senate would  
soon as practicable return to the agri-  
cultural bill and the House to the en-  
dury civil bills, with a hope, in both  
cases, of completing consideration before  
the end of the day.

All records for the Sixtieth Congress  
were broken by the House session, which  
ended at 2:21 o'clock yesterday morning  
having extended over the period of 18 1/2  
hours. Editors of the House leaders to  
rush through all the important ap-  
propriation bills in the closing hours of  
the session, which terminates next  
Thursday at noon, together with the  
obstructions placed in their way by the  
Democrats, probably will necessitate  
long night sessions on all of the five re-  
maining days. When the House met  
yesterday at eleven o'clock Chairman  
Tawney of the appropriations commit-  
tee renewed his attempt to secure the  
passage of the sundry civil appropria-<